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OIL BURNER HAVING A SOLENOID  
VALVE IN PARALLEL CIRCUIT  
WITH DIAPHRAGM VALVE FOR  
CONTROLLING OIL FLOW AT  
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